



Afternoon National Slaughter Cattle Review as of 2:00 pm Thursday

Thus far for Thursday, negotiated trade was limited on light to moderate demand in Nebraska and the Western Cornbelt. Trade was inactive on light demand in the Southern Plains. Not enough purchases in any feeding region for an adequate market test. The latest established market in any region was on Wednesday, with live purchases in the Southern Plains from 95.00-110.00, bulk at 110.00. In Nebraska on Wednesday live purchases traded at 95.00 with dressed purchases from 145.00-180.00, bulk at 150.00. Dressed purchases on Wednesday in the Western Cornbelt traded from 145.00-180.00, bulk at 180.00. The latest established live market in the Western Cornbelt was last week with purchases from 93.00-100.00.

Negotiated Sales:

(Derived from the 'National Daily Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases' - [LM_CT114](#))

Confirmed:	2,318	Week Ago:	6,390	Year Ago:	5,552
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Negotiated: prices paid for Domestic Slaughter steers and heifers:

(Derived from the '5 Area Daily Wtd Avg Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated' - [LM_CT100](#))

Live Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	95.00 - 95.00	avg 95.00	-	avg
65 - 80% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	95.00 - 95.00	avg 95.00	-	avg

Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	150.00 - 155.00	avg 154.83	-	avg
65 - 80% Choice	155.00 - 155.00	avg 155.00	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	150.00 - 155.00	avg 154.86	-	avg

Formula Purchases:

(Derived from the 'National Direct Direct Slaughter Cattle - Formulated and Grid Purchases' - [LM_CT108](#))

Formula Net - Dressed	Steers & Heifers		
Head count priced today:	15,700		
Weighted avg weight:	885.00		
Weighted avg net price:	164.00		

Covers transactions reported at 2:00 pm today. Comments and market conditions may include information gathered from voluntary sources, all prices, weights and head counts are only those gathered through the mandatory reporting system.



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